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Review & More

BUSY / STRAPPED / STRESSED / SATURATED • BUT JESUS SAID...

A life connected to Jesus and his mission is a restful life.

A life that replaces Jesus or his mission with anything else will be restless.

WE REPLACE IT WITH ACHIEVEMENT • BUT THAT'S NOT THE FIRST IDOL IN OUR LIVES

An Idol Called Approval

ILL: I REMEMBER THE MOMENT I STARTED WORSHIPPING ACHIEVEMENT... A-MINUS! — APPROVAL!
STARTS WITH ATTACHMENT • PARENTS FALL SHORT • NEVER GET THE APPROVAL WE WANT • SIN

APPROVAL LIE #1 (GENESIS 4:1-8)

LIE: Approval is a **COMPETITION**.TRUTH: If I do what's **RIGHT**, I'll be **APPROVED**.

APPROVAL LIE #2 (1 KINGS 12:1-16)

LIE: **ACTING STRONG** gets me the approval I want.TRUTH: **HUMILITY** gets approval that **MATTERS**.

APPROVAL LIE #3 (ACTS 8:14-23)

LIE: I can **BUY APPROVAL**.TRUTH: God **GIVES APPROVAL**.

APPROVAL LIE #4 (LUKE 10:38-42)

LIE: I can **ACHIEVE APPROVAL**.TRUTH: I should **RECEIVE APPROVAL**.COME TO ME, AND I WILL GIVE YOU REST • FATHER APPROVES ALL WHO COME THROUGH JESUS.
EPHESIANS 3:12 • 2 CORINTHIANS 5:20-21

Take it Home

Come to Jesus, join his mission, and you
will be **FULLY APPROVED**.

How do you cope with a soul restless for approval?

FORFEIT OR FIGHT • DRAMA CYCLE • SPEND MORE GIVE MORE • SUCCEED OR GIVE UP

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